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AMENDMENT with REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

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Dear Sirs:

Instead of an Appeal Brief, please accept this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and please consider the amendments and remarks below for the above-identified application.

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